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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a one-month extension of time to and including March 20, 2003 for responding to the Office Action mailed November 20, 2002. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 209369.0049) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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